HOME NEWS.

ERIVAL OF PASSENGER TRAINS. TRAINS PASS BAN MARCOS AS FOLLOWS : Going South: 8:40 A. M. and 8:40 P. M. Going North: 8:40 A. M. and 6:05 P. M.

Cider, cider, at Little Red Front.

Thurber's Bird Seed at L. B. KIL JAN's. New grits and oatmenl, at LEAVELL'S.

Ice cream every day at Candy Factory. Country produce bought and sold by B. F. BLOUNT & Co.

Fresh arrival car load of White Swan and Yellow Rose Flour at L. B. KILLIAN'S. Fancy apples 50c a bucket, at LEAVELL'S.

Call and see our line of jerseys, from 75c 92 50. DAILEY & BRO.

L. B. Killian keeps constantly on has everything in the grocery l'ne. If you want good flour cheap go to

Try Coppic's ice-cold sweet cider. summer beverage it beats the world.

Choice California potatoes and onion always on hand, at LEAVELT'S. An immense line of ginghams; good dress styles; at 10c. per yard.

DAILEY & BRO.

Geo. W. Knight, Jeweler, east side the f keep the buttons on all shoes bought of pe. J. S. Killian.

Call and see our line of pattern hats for ladies' and misses' fall wear. DAILEY & BRO.

Twenty yards calico for one dollar at G. C. REED & Co's. Blue grass cream cheese the best in the

LEAVELL'S. Salt at \$1 45 per sack, at BLOUNT & Co's.

We have a fine line of ribbons in the new shades of yellow that are now so popular.

Daller & Blo.

My goods are all new. J. S. KILLIAN. The E. B. Martin place for sale. Apply T. C. Johnson.

If you want nice bread and cakes go to Leavell's and buy the White Crane Flour. Just received, one car of Jackson Wagon

and one car of steel nails, offered at lowest WM. Gresen, Agent. Fourteen yards yard-wide domestic for

for a Christmas present for the girls.
G. W. Donalson & Co.

Fresh candy and fruits, cider and in fact everything good at Little Red Front, South

I am in receipt of a carload of the celebrated Newton Wagons, second to none in the market, and offer the same at low prices and liberal terms. Also received a Wm. Giesen, Agent.

Get your bread and cakes at Little Red

Mr. Holmes is offering his residence for sale, it is one of the most attractive places in the city, has large well ventilated rooms, terraced yard, and beautiful green lawn, it has a street on all sides except the north, and is convenient to the public schools and Chautauqua grounds, and when the Chautauqua park is improved will be one of the most valuable residences in the city.

The man who can buy clothing, gents.' furnishing goods and in fact everything in the dry goods line, as cheap as he can at J. S. Krilian's.

Not Too Late

To sow turnip, beet, radish, lettuce and mustard seed. All fresh and genuine "Lan-RAYNOLDS & DANIEL.

Legal Card.

W. D. Wood, Sterling Fisher and Ower Ford have associated themselves together for the practice of law in civil matters in Hayscounty, Texas. Office in Wood's new building, up stairs, Oct. 25-ly.

San Marcos.

Deer plows

For Sale.

Mr. Cashell called on us yesterday. He has quit the Kyle Times, and we presume would accept another situation. two large lots with improvements. The whole will be sold together, or the lots separately, to suit purchasers. Call on or address I. C. WOOTTON, june 17tf San Marcos.

I Am Agent For McCormick self binder, Mowers etc. Jackson wagons

Casidy sulky plows Standard cultivators Bookwalter hay rakes Wheeler Thrashers and other machinery and farm implements

for which I solicit orders, guaranteeing for which I solicit terms.

lowest prices and best terms.

WM. GIESEN. and little son, who have been visiting her father, Mr. Ownby, of this place, for some weeks, leave for home to-day.

No use in buying common flour when you can get Stonnard's Royal Patent. Order of B. F. BLOUNT & Co. our city a business call on Monday. He

"Confederate Home" For Indigent and Disabled Ex-Confed-

Tickets in "Confederate or, formerly of the San Marcos Valley. He emigrated to Shn Saba county some years since, where he died. We are not advised to Shn Saba county some years since, where he died. We are not advised to Shn Saba county some years since, where he died. Austin, Texas, Dec. 27 prox. as to when he died. Austin, Texas, Dec. 27 prox.

for sale at Drug Store of Raynolds & Daniel. All persons desirous of assisting a worthy charity can do ing a worthy charity can do in the destination of the sungle of the sun so by purchasing tickets. A list of prizes furnished upon application.

E. P. RAYNOLDS.

Compliments Returned.

lesque theatr'cal line or "show business" would not ha monize better with his pe-

attainments than attempting to practice

take our leave of him, more in pity than in

Unwritten History.

There is some rema kable unwritten his-

tory connected with the attack upon us last

Christmes day. We merely allude to it now;

it may become necessary or proper to go

into the subject more specifically hereafter,

Suffice it at present to say, that we feel cer

tain that there are men in this town who

PERSONAL.

Christi Monday night.

Victor Julian left on his return to Corpus

Horace Storey has taken the place of Jir

J. J. Jones, M. D., and family, from

We were pleased to meet our friend, Mrs.

Allen Dugger, of Si. Elmo, here one day last week. She was en route to visit her

Mrs. Mollie A. Walsh, of Paris, Texas

Hon. Felix Smith, of Travis county, gave

We regret to learn of the death of our worthyold friend and subscriber. D. Wheel-

mother, Mrs J. W. Scott.

with regret.

town, at a cost of some \$1300.

Erath county, are among the new acquisi-tions to our population.

with Mark Rogers in the meat business.

anger.

Pertineut Matters for Record. While we have no desire or intention to The very special attention paid to us by protract any unpleasant reminiscences of hat remarkable legal luminary little Tommy Franklin in his speech in the case of the the hostile invasion of the FREE PRESS office State vs. C. M. Hull on Thursday night on Christmas day, there are a few points, mainly of an impersonal character, which we believe ought to be "entered of record". And first, we will present the peech of over an hour, the greater portion VIEWS OF A VETERAN SOUTHERN EDITOR We mean Col. Joel Miller, of the Austin Statesman, late of the Richmond (Va.) press. Beginning his article with some humorous sentences, he proceeds: of which was directed to the annihilation of "old man Julian" (as he politely termed us.) His attitude from the start was that of one who had a personal grievance against us, vet our previous relations had always been

civil and courteous, and we had supposed friendly on his part as they were on ours. But perhaps he merely meant to display his powers of invective while "splitting the ears of the groundlings," and thought we furnished a favorable subject. An' sure Tommy is a broth of a boy. He took his place in the arena with that air of consciplace in the arena with that air of consci-ous superiority over all other men of wo-man born which his preternaturally de-veloped organ of self-esteem has made ha-bitual to him. His air and manner unmis-takably said: "Good people, did you ever in all your born days see as smart a chap as now appears before you?" Then he opened his mouth and a steady stream of bosh flowed out and on to the close. Never since the last visit of the Wizard oil men or the patent soap and iswelry men to cur

the patent soap and jewelry men to our town have such bursts of eloquence, such sclatilations of wit been heard or seen in the war, in abolishing the duello and street fights. The men of the South do not feel it necessary to vindicate their courage in that way, and if an editor or any other bus-iness man has unjust personal attacks made our midst. Then his gestures! His favor-ite movement was that of a jumping jack, which became him admirably, and accorded iness man has unjust personal attacks made upon him, they always revert, like the boomerang, and injure the man making them. Gentlemen ought to be able to live upon a higher plane than to engage in personal wrangles, and a gentleman is perfectly indifferent to the attacks of blackmailers, or make we as gentlemen should avoid if they which became him admirably, and accorded well with his spasmodic style of oratory. Finally from the role of mountebank Tom-my passed to that of sleight-of-hand per-former. His leading effort in this line might properly be styled the "bottle trick." He conjured up an imag nary man laboring under the hallucination that he had a bottle

indifferent to the attacks of blackmailers, or such men as gentlemen should avoid if they desire to keep their hearts pure and their hands clean. There is a way to do this, and that is by ignoring the cause of violent temper, or restraining it with manly vigor.

We sincerely hope our brothers of the San Marcos press will settle their differences amigably, or if that is impossible. under the hallucination that he had a bottle growing to his nose. Having got himself ready Tommy waltzed into the witness stand to exhibit how the man appeared and how the spell might be broken. This feat appeared to be considered a great success by some of Tommy's inteligent admirers, ences amicably, or if that is impossible, many of whom doubtless knew how it was themselves as to the bottle attachment, with agree to disagree; and if one is persistent and obdurate, let the other totally ignore this di Jerence that the bottles in their cases were not imaginary but real, pretty regular-ly grew not from their noses but their

him, for continual vituperation and abuse will excite popular favor to to the object, and contempt to the one indulging it. The public is a fair jury. They do not take any man's "ipse dixit", or even ex parte testimony, certainly not bold and unmouths, and were not nearly so easily got rid of as that represented by Tommy. This scene closed the exhibition, and it is not a very violent supposition that the jury may for the time have been beguiled into warranted assertions against the testimony of an honest and vi tuous life. No man the idea that they were attending some sort of a burlesque show, and to humor the joke brought in a verdict in harmony with the performance. We beg to submit to Tommy nced be disturbed one moment by such at-tacks. Of course there are some slanders that the best man is not called upon to bear. For such as these there is but one remedy, and that is always final in the whether he may not have mistaken his vo-cation, and whether something in the burhands of a patient man; for patient, long-suffering men are, after all, perfectly con-clusive when they feel it their duty to act. But we feel certain that no such affront has culiar natural gifts and mental tastes and passed between the San Marcos editors. WHAT THE PEER PRESS SAID AT THE STAFT.

Because we argued that more than one But to be a little more serious. That bodle scene was a most un'otunate one for newspaper of a superior order could not be Tommy, suggesting as it no doubt did to sustained here, we have been charged with others as well as to us a chapter in his early experience. Ten years since, during the first local option contest here, Tommy, then a young man, at the tu bing point of life, voluntarily took the stump in advocacy of the dominion of the bottle and to fasten it as we have a side and to the stump. hostility to any new newspaper enterprise in San Marcos, and especially to that of Mr. Hull. There never was any truth in this charge. In the Fazz Pazzz of August 13, 1885, referring to this charge, we used the following language: it as we have said not to the noses but to

the mouths of the people, in most cases irrevocably and to the temporal and eternal We recognize the right of others to differ with us, and to start as many papers in San Marcos as to them may seem advisable. Apples, grapes and bananas received every day at Little Red Front.

Warranty Deeds for sale at the Free Press office.

CROP MORTGAGES at the Free Press Office.

A large lot of side saddles, which will be sold cheap. Call at Porter's, east side square.

CUTE.—Have you seen our little Euck's Brillant Stoves? Only \$5. Just the thing for a Christmas present for the girls.

A poles, grapes and bananas received curt his ma'ediction of holy w.it, "Woe curt his ma'ediction of holy w.it, "Woe curt his ma'ediction of holy w.it, "Woe the paper just started by Mr. C. M. Hull. the "Cresset", we regard it as a strictly legitimate enterprise, and have nothing to object to it. On the contrary, as we have had occasion to remark before, if he shall succeed in demonstrating that two newspapers can live and prosper in this place, we shall simply be very agreeably and suppointed. We have nothing against Mr. Hull personally, and hope our relations may be friendly and agreeable. At the same time we shall not hesitate to criticise his paper freely, as has always been our wont; and since he elsims to be an old newspaper man, and familiar with the customs of the craft we shall salve and prosper man, and familiar with the customs of the craft we shall salve and prosper man, and familiar with the customs of the craft we shall salve and prosper man, and familiar with the customs of the craft we shall salve and prosper man, and familiar with the customs of the craft we shall salve and prosper man, and familiar with the customs of the paper man, and familiar with the customs of the paper in the strictly legitimate enterprise, and have nothing to object to it. On the contrary, as we have had occasion to remark before, if he shall succeed in demonstrating that two newspapers can live and prosper in this shall succeed in demonstrating that two newspapers can live and prosper in this strictly legitimate enterprise, and have nothing to object to it. On the contrary, as we have had occasion to remark before, if he shall succeed in demonstrations i rain of its votaries. He may himself have escaped the awful curse, but d'd he not incur the ma'ediction of holy w.it, "Woo unto him who putteth the bottle to his recipiles's limit." He cost the second From the sample he has just favored us paper man, and familiar with the customs with, we judge his placeties is mainly in the police courts of that city. Thus, at middle not therefore to conclude we are his enemy, age, we find him no nearer success in his and take offense. In short, while we may sometimes seem severe, we shall not transession that he was ten years ago, and with so poor an estimate of its commendable cend parliamentary usage among editors, achievements as to come back to San Marcos and without provocation or decent except the severybody knows, often castigate one analysis of the severybody knows, often castigate one analysis of the severybody knows, of the castigate one analysis of the severybody knows and the severybody knows are castigated to the severybody knows and the severybody knows are castigated to the severybody knows and the severybody knows are castigated to the severybody knows and the severybody knows are castigated to the severybody knows and the cuse, assail old neighbors and friends in other professionally, while remaining on regular fish me ket style. We bid him welcome to all such "b ushing honors," and friendly terms personally.

SELF-CONDENNED. [From the Cresset, Oct. 6, 1885.]

Thursday afternoon one of our most dese ving merchants narrowly escaped with his life in a personal altercation, [in which a pistol was used] and Saturday night our most efficient city marshal was assaulted, and now lies pillow-propped in bed. sufer-ing from the effects of blows on his neck and back, and the shock of the discharge of pistol in his very teeth. PECSONAL GRIEV-ANCE, HOWEVER AGGRAVATED, CANNOT BE SUFFICIENT EXCUST FOR THE PUBLIC PARADE were sprivy to, if not instigators of, that outrage. They are not all saloon men. Two of them at least can have no decent OF THE HTP-POCKET ORNAMINT; MUCH JESS CAN IT EXCUSE ONE IN ITS DISCHARGE AT A FELLOW-BEING. pretext for their course, which is a mystery to us. We feel confident they are among

The Fare Pares copied the above in its nert issue, and said: the editorial writers of the opposition paper and have "taken stock" in it in various ways. That is all right, only we think they should We take pleasure in copying and endors ing the above, from our neighbor of the

come out openly and above board, in order to which it is likely we may, ere long, relieve their excessive modesty by giving their names to the public. The Farz Parss still heartily endorses the sbove sentiment. But how is it now with the Cresset? We put its last sentence in small capitals and capitals. Was ever anyone more signally self-condemned? Comment is entirely superfluous.

The warm weather often has a depressing and debilitating effect. Hood's Sarsaparilla overcomes all languor and lassitude.

Carload furniture just received by

Blount & Co. are full to overflowing of choice seasonable family groceries, which they will see as cheap as the cheapest.

We deeply sympatise with Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Reed in the loss of their infant son. The funeral took place on Tuesday. In San Marcos, Sept. 20, Warren Habicht, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Reed, aged 3 months. "Suffer the little children to con D. Hiett, of Ennis, has come here to unto me, and forbid them not." "Their angels do always behold the face of my spend the winter for the benefit of his health, and made the FREE PRESS a call. Elder Williamson, as superintendent, is building up the Christian Sunday-school nicely. He will also preach on Sunday.

DON'T BUY a stove until you see our -BUCK'S BRILLIANTS. G. W. DONALSON & Co., So'e Agents in San Marcos.

"The drawing" in "Confederate Home Lottery" for good and sufficient reasons has been deferred. The best interests of the says he is not making the race for repre-sentative on the Independent-Republican

> E. P. RAYNOLDS. Look out for oysters pretty soon at the

"Our flag is there! Our flag is there! We hall it with three loud huzzas!"

The partnership heretofore existing be-tween the undersigned is dissolved by mutual consent. All persons knowing them-At the Council meeting on Monday night selves indebeted to the late firm of Rogers office. they decided to purchase eight more hyd- & Story will please come forward and set-rants for the more general supply of the tie at once. MARK BOOKSS. Sept. 23, '86.

The Political Situation.

DEITPING SPRINGS, Texas, Sept. 13, 1886. ED. FREE PRESS:-I noticed in an editorial column of the Crewet of the 11th last. the following: "A State Prohibition ticket is now in the field. Will the editor of the FREE PRESS advocate its election?"

This is a plain and fair question, and or dinarily, would be passed by without any

This is a plain and rair question, and ordinarily, would be passed by without any after-thought; but in view of the fact that in high places, with but few exceptions, it has been considered disloval to democracy to about such a scrious matter. We regret & ceedingly to hear of anything of the kind occurring between men whose duty it is to teach as much by example as theory. Men cannot always control their tempers when vexed almost beyond endurance, and if Mr. Hull, who seems to have been the aggressive party, felt offended at the course of the Free Press, and was convinced he could not read that paper and control his temper, he might have found relief from vexation by not reading the paper, and having it understood among his friends that he did not want to hear what it said about him at any time.

Such a course would have relieved him from all vexation, and obviated the necessity of his obeying the dictates of anger, and committing violence.

The South has improved very much since the war, in abolishing the duello and street fights. The men of the South do not feel it necessary to vindicate their courage in should have a hearing and consideration in the councils of our state and national gov-ernment,—that the public domain should be held for purchase by the people for act-ual use and settlement and not for the pur-pose of speculation by monopolies. But for several years I have seen a so-called democratic house (lower) of Congress re-fuze to place silver on a standard with gold. I have seen it defeat every measure of pracfuse to place silver on a standard with gold. I have seen it defeat every measure of practical value looking to free trade. I have seen it dish out its domain to corporations and monopolies, and I have seen it refuse agriculture, the backbone of the government, and world as well, a place in its cabinet and its councils. I have seen it with the coffers of the nation overflowing with treasure filehed from the toiling masses, retreasure filched from the toiling masses, re-fuze to pay our national indebtedness, and fuze to pay our national indebtodness, and democracy's Chief Executive aiding and abetting in all or most all of these refusals. And yet, I am told, this is democracy! And here in our own great state of Texas, wholly, entirely democratic. I have seen one of the grandest, richest domains ever bequeathed by fathers for the education of their sons and daughters, squandered or missoppropriand daughters, squandered or misappropri

ated. But then,-"This land was famously enriched With politic grave council."

With politic grave council."

Now, a new democracy reigneth. What of other ones, public lands? Are they owned by actual settlers, the agriculturist and stockman? Or are they largely in the hands of syndicates and corporations? Lands all gone, the treasury depleted, the state in debt, taxes increasing, a sea cost of hundreds of mites without a harbor, rivers flowing into the mile without payingtion, yet for ing into the gulf without navigation, yet for democratic party, with a triumphant majority of one hundred and thirty thousand, and if you, Mt. Editor, dare vote for a prohibitionic tionist, a granger, a farmer' alliance man or knight of labor, just make up your mine that in democracy you are henceforth and forever unsound.

But my dear si-, "The world moves for all that." A spirit of inquiry is abroad in the land. The masses are begining to read, to reflect, and it is possible they may soon begin to inquire into the meaning of such words as democracy, republicanism, etc., and it may be awaken to the to the knowlpublicans and simon-pure democrats that would wake up some bright November morning and fird the big pocket in which they have so long carried the votes of the dear people, with a little a little hole in it, and the votes?—they must have lost out!

For the present it people, it is about that from the lethargic state into which so many of us have fallen, and examine the merit and demerits of the political issues of the day, advocating such measures as seem to him wise, and opposing those that are unjust, heeding not the lash of political cliques, but affiliating as long as is consistent with his manhood, with that party that seems most likely to accomplish needed legislation.

In the meantime let us educate our son and daughters, no matter how great the pecuniary sacrifice may be, and soon a race of reading, thinking men and women will grow up, and lift our government and na-tion out of the ruts, mire and filth of dema-

We perhaps owe our readers an apology for giving so much space to a case on the criminal side of the District Court, in which we had to appear as a witness; but if so, we trust they will excuse us when we state, that our object is to close the matter as near as possible in our present issue, so we may re-our to more agreeable topics in the future.

"that every word the press uttered against Judge E. R. Kone, made him new friends." Watch and see. - Kyle Times.

We suspect the Judge is in more danger from his too eulogistic journalist'o friends; for instance, neighbor, we feel stre you late report of the grard style in which he appeared at the DuPre barbecue could have done him no good, to say the least.

We are in receipt of a copy of Tunison's new map of Texas. We notice it is brought down to date, and appears to be very co plete and accurate. It contains besides a valuable directory of the principal business houses of San Antonio, Austir, San Marcos, Kyle and New Braunfels, Also tables of the population of the counties and promi-nent towns of the state. It may be ob-tained of David H. Bebell, agent, 225 ave-nue C, San Antonio. Send and get a cop7.

Prof. Williams reported 221 pupils in at tendance on the public schools on yester-day, and still they come. He says another room will be indispensable. He further said that if he had sufficient com he could angels do always behold the face of my soon have 500 pupils in the schools. Let Father which is in heaven." "And Jesus all pull together and have a public school in the midst of them. Fastors.

The people want to know why the City Council continue to increase the Water Company's income by contracting for more fire hydrants when the city is already in debt. We are told that the city can er-change her 6 per cent. bonds for water stock at par, and save the city over \$2,000 per annum; then why not do this? In-stead of the fire hydrants being an expense charity justit's the postponement. "The bear and the newly appointed time, Dec. 27, prox. Buy your tickets. Your lob may be a "Steck Plano," or an "improved plow," a "sewing machine" or a "town lot."

The per annum; then why not do this? Instead of the fire hydrants being an expense to the city, why not make the water-works a source of revenue to the city, and let our taxes be reduced? Nothing could add more, or tend to increase our population more, and induce moneyed men to make investments here, than such a course as this.
If our aldermen are afraid of the responsibility, let them leave it to a vote of the people, and we believe the good judgment of the citizens will roll up a large majority in favor of buying the water-works.

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they have so long carried the votes of the dear people, with a little a little hole in it, and the votes?—they must have lost out! For the present it seems to me best, that every lover of his country should awaken every lover of his country should awaken.

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We regret that the valued favors of "Aunt Patience" and T. J. D., unavoidably lie ST. We regret that the valued favors of "Aant over till our next.

We invite special attention to the excellent article from a Dripping Springs corres-pondent on the Political Situation. It is full of good thoughts exceptionally well ex-

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best blood-purifying and strengthening remedies of the vegetable kingdom. You will find this wonderful remedy effective where other medicines have failed. Try it now. It will purify your blood, regulate the digestion and give new life and vigor to the entire body "Hood's Sarsaparilla did me great good. I was tired out from overwork, and it toned me up." MRS. G. E. SIMMONS, Cohoes, N. Y. "I suffered three years from blood poison I took Hood's Sarsaparilla and think I am cured." Mus. M. J. DAVIS, Brockport, N. Y. STAPLE AND FANCY GROCER

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